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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0029] with the following amended paragraph:

[0029] If the solid electrolyte, as it is preferred, is provided in the form of a small tubelet to be immersed into the melt and closed at the end to be immersed, the foil arrangement on the immersing part of the small tubelet surrounds its outer periphery tightly, which means the ~~zylindrical~~ cylindrical part of the outer periphery and the hemispherical part closing the tubelet as well.